## **DOI Work Activity 7J: Perform Riparian Restoration Treatment**

Program Area:	Landscapes and Watersheds	
End Outcome Goal:	PEO 1 - Improve Health of Watersheds, Landscapes, and Marine Resources that are DOI Managed or Influenced in a Manner Consistent with Obligations Regarding the Allocation and Use of Water	
Intermediate Outcome:	PIO 1.1 - Restore Watersheds and Landscapes	
DOI Sub process:	4d - Conserve resources (perform resource treatments)	

**Examples/Notes:** Examples of tasks included in this activity include: planting, plant production, contouring, seeding, placement of natural materials, prescribed burning when used as a restoration treatment, and prescribed animal and plant management (including application of bio-controls) needed to restore the ecosystem.

**Work Activity Description:** All work undertaken to stabilize, rehabilitate, restore (restoration) riparian habitat; the purpose being to restore natural processes regardless of the cause of the disturbance and/or to recover/restore one or more plant/animal species.

Incidental work supporting such restoration that may be reported here includes associated work that is undertaken for the purpose of restoring disturbed riparian habitat: resource assessment, baseline development, inventory & monitoring, treatment evaluation, collecting data that improves understanding of resource (habitat and species) condition, producing/processing legal instruments such as easements and permits, binding contracts such as land use agreements and set-aside agreements; Memoranda of Understanding; commenting on proposed actions potentially affecting the landscape; participation in regional resource conservation entities, project planning, environmental and T&E reviews.

Does not include work that results in construction of facilities or structures. It does not include work to "enhance" the resource beyond that which natural processes can maintain. This is work is intended to restore the natural resources to a condition that existed prior to disturbance rather than to mitigate the disturbance.

Output: Treated miles	Unit of Measure: Number of miles treated
Inputs: Labor, contracts, equipment, materials, transportation, quality control and quality assurance. Land owner, stakeholder, and land manager requests; and management plans	<b>Cost Drivers:</b> Type, nature, and location of the acres to be restored; Complexity of restoration; Cause of the disturbance; etc.

## **System Interfaces:**

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